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Introduction

This report consists of 67 installations in Mukachevo (N 48-26, E 22-43). Paragraph numbers correspond to the pinpoint numbers which identify each installation on a city plan of Mukachevo /Annex 1 to this report/.¹

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1. Military Post

This military post covers an area of about 200,000 square meters. The area is rectangular in shape, about 500 meters long and 400 meters wide. The main entrance, which is on Beregovskaya Ulitsa (Ukrainian: Beregivska), is flanked by large barrack buildings, which are from 100 to 150 meters long and about 30 meters wide. All these buildings are three-storied and are of grayish-yellow stuccoed brick with tile roofs. The same type of building is seen on Ulitsy Molotova and Shevchenka. There are other barracks in the center of the post, as well as weapons depots, garages, and vehicle repair shops. The post has a rather large motor pool. The mess hall, which was built in 1950, is squarely in the center of the post area. There is also an Army club here.

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2. Oil Base

The administration building of the oil base is a corner building which was built in 1949. It is about 60 meters long (30 meters from the corner to each end) and 15 meters wide. It is two stories high and is constructed of brick which has been covered with whitewashed stucco. The upper part of the building is gray; the roof is red tile. All the administrative offices of the Mukachevo oil base are located in this one building. On an average day, 100 to 150 tons of all different kinds of fuel are delivered to the base, which distributes the fuel among government institutions on the basis of official orders. The area occupied by the oil base and the oil refinery Point 3 together, is about 250,000 square meters; this area is surrounded by a barbed-wire fence. Admittance to the oil base is by pass only. Passes are issued at the entrance gate. A person driving onto the base to procure fuel would have to present his passport, the putevoy list (travel certificate) of the vehicle, and a certificate made out in his name authorizing him to receive fuel from the oil base. The latter certificate would also contain the vehicle's license number. A pass would be made out on the basis of these documents.

3. Oil Refinery

The oil refinery building is L-shaped, having a length of about 60 meters on one side and 30 meters on the other; the width is about 30 meters. It is a two-story building. The raw material is delivered by railroad and is unloaded by pumps. A broad-gauge siding leads into the oil refinery. Deliveries are made by about 10 to 15 railroad cars daily. Fuel is transferred to the oil base Point 2 by means of a pipe line.

4. Gasoline Storage Areas

There are three POL storage warehouses and several dozen round iron storage tanks on the premises and in the vicinity of the oil refinery and also on the oil base. Kerosene and gasoline are brought in by railroad and unloaded into the storage tanks by means of motor pumps. Mukachevo does not have any gas stations (filling stations) with gasoline pumps. The old pumps are out of use; many of them have been destroyed. The only way to obtain gasoline in Mukachevo is by official order.

5. Warehouse for Lubricants

This is a tile-roofed, brick building, about 50 meters by 20 meters in size. There are loading platforms by the building. The warehouse is on the premises of the oil base.

6. Locomotive Repair Shops

This building is made of galvanized sheet iron. Its dimensions are about 100 meters by 40 meters. It houses large locomotive repair shops in which several engines can be repaired at one time.

7. Mukachevo Railroad Station

The original railroad station was destroyed during the war and a new building has been erected. It was opened early in 1950. It is a rather large brick building, two stories high, with a tile roof. The outside is gray stucco. The building houses a good restaurant, a lunch counter, and very attractive waiting rooms. The walls and columns on the inside are, to a large extent, faced with marble and, in part, with tile. The traffic at this station is rather heavy, and the restaurant and ticket windows are crowded day and night. Order is maintained by railroad militia, but document checks almost never take place. Checks are made only when there is a search on for someone. The sale of tickets to all parts of the USSR is unrestricted. No documents are required for the purchase of a ticket. If the traffic is

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especially heavy and there are too few tickets for a given train, priority is given to persons with travel orders (komandirovochnyye udostovereniya).

8. Administration Building of the Lvov Railroad

This is a gray stuccoed building, three stories high, about 70 by 20 meters in size. All transport offices are located in this building.

9. Railroad Warehouses

These three structures have stone foundations, but the walls are of wood. Roofing paper is used on the roofs. The buildings are about 50 by 20 meters in size. All goods which come into Mukachevo by railroad are stored here, as are goods waiting to be transported from Mukachevo by rail.

10. Military Hospital

There are four of five brick buildings at the military hospital. They are set back about 50 meters from the sidewalk, and there is a brick wall along the street side. The hospital buildings are all three-storied, about 50 by 20 meters in size, with roofs of either tile or sheet iron.

11. Principal City Administration Building

This building was formerly the City Hall. It is a very large, horseshoe-shaped building containing 150 rooms. The building material is brick or stone; the roof is tile. There is a tall observation tower visible from the sidewalk. The following offices have their official headquarters in this building: Gorispolkcom, Gorsovet, Blagoustroystvo (Office for Planning and Organizing of Public Services), and Gorkomunkhoz (City Directorate of Communal Economy).²

12. Communist Party Rayon Committee Building

This is a three-story, stuccoed-brick building, whitish-yellow in color, with a tile roof. It is 40 meters across the front and has a 30-meter-long wing at each end.

13. Mukachevo Polyclinic

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This is a large L-shaped building which formerly was occupied by the Czechoslovakian Labor Union (profsoyuz). The building is white stuccoed-brick and has a tile roof. It is four stories high and the open side of the L faces toward the river. There is also a garage and a repair shop for clinic vehicles located here. A large number of persons work at the polyclinic. The chief accountant here is Ivan Liba.

14. Large Hospital (Bolshaya Bolnitsa)

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This hospital comprises a compound of several buildings, all of which are four stories high and have tile roofs. The buildings extend along the entire length of Bolnichnaya Ulitsa (Ukrainian: Bolnychna). The hospital contains all the usual sections except those for venereal diseases and tuberculosis. The walls and ceilings of the operating rooms at this hospital are made of glass.

15. Hospital

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This hospital consists of three, one-story brick buildings which are set back from the street. There is a wooden fence along the street in front of this institution. The hospital contains a section for the treatment of venereal diseases, a tuberculosis section, and a dermatological section.

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16. Children's Dispensary

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This is a large, gray, stuccoed-brick building, three stories high, with a cement roof. It is about 120 meters in length and 30 to 40 meters wide. The hospital is exclusively for the treatment of children up to five years of age. It has all the usual departments. It is not necessary to go to a polyclinic to obtain a permit (napravleniye) before bringing a child to this hospital; a child under five can be brought directly to the hospital. This hospital is staffed with the best doctors; the children receive good treatment.

17. Rayon Executive Committee Building

This is a five-story building on the corner of Latorichnyy Dvor and Ploshchad Stalina. The entrance is on Latorichnyy Dvor. This is a gray, stuccoed-brick structure with a tile roof.³

18. Bus Lines Ticket Office

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On the ground floor of this corner building, a spacious waiting room and ticket office are located. Tickets for all bus lines can be purchased here. Buses stop at this office at scheduled times. The building is at the far corner of Ploshchad Stalina.

19. Fire Station

This is a three-story brick building with a cement roof. The building is about 50 to 60 meters long and 15 meters wide. The garage is on the ground floor. Mukachevo has about eight to ten fire trucks; as of June 1952 they were painted red.

20. Flour Mill

The flour mill, which is electrically operated, is located off to the right of the road leading to Uzhgorod, just beyond the bridge. It is a brick building with a tile roof, is about 40 meters long and 30 meters wide, and is two stories high. This is where the flour for the city's consumers is milled. It is a municipal flour mill and is under the jurisdiction of the Gorkomunkhoz.

21. Ukrainian Seven-Year School

This seven-year school is located in a gray stuccoed-brick building with one story and a tile roof. It is situated at a bend in the road leading to Uzhgorod.

22. Ukrainian Business School

This was formerly a Hebrew high school. It is a large, three-story, gray stuccoed-brick building, about 60 meters long and 40 meters wide, with a tile roof.

23. Slaughter House

This is a large building about one and-one-half stories high beside the Latoritsa River. All the city artels slaughter their cattle here. The building is dark-gray stucco and has a sheet-iron roof. The building is 50 to 60 meters long and 20 to 30 meters wide.

24. Mukachevo Printing Office

This is a large three-story brick building with a tile roof. It is 30 to 35 meters long and 20 to 25 meters wide. The workshops are on the ground

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floor and the administrative offices are on the upper floors. This printing office prints the rayon newspapers and all kinds of administrative material for organizations. Until 1950, this printing office also made rubber stamps. However, early in that year the MGB decreed that only the Zakarpatskaya Oblast printing office in Uzhgorod was authorized to produce rubber stamps. The printing office has about 100 employees.

25. Mukachevo Mining Office Garage and Repair Shops

Formerly, the administrative offices of Shakhtostroy (Mines Construction) and Shakhtoeksploatatsiya (Mines Development) were located on Ploshchad Stalina in Mukachevo. However, in spring 1951, these offices were moved to the site of the coal mines at Berezinka, a village southeast of Mukachevo. These consist of several workshops and parking grounds, and about 100 persons are employed here.

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26. Bus Garage

Buses used in Mukachevo and on other local lines are parked for the night in several partitioned buildings. There are also some motor repair shops located here. About 100 to 150 persons work here.

27. Motor Transport Office

The Motor Transport Office has 50 to 70 vehicles at its disposal and rents them to organizations. The office is located in a three-story, dark-gray, stuccoed-brick building on Podgorodskaya Ulitsa (Ukrainian: Pidgorodska). In the courtyard here, there are several garages and repair shops.

28. Mukachevo Shoe Factory (Mukachevskaya Obuvnaya Fabrika)

The Mukachevo Shoe Factory employs about 300 workers. Admittance to the factory is by pass. The director is a Hungarian named Fizeshiy (fmu), who was an apprentice cobbler during the time of the Czechoslovakian Republic. Fizeshiy is about 45 years of age; height, 170 to 175 cm; weight, about 170 kilos; curly black hair; black eyes. He has been a Communist since 1930. During the time of the Czechoslovakian Republic, there was a little narrow street called Brondov Dvor where the factory is now located. This street was lined on both sides with small shops of various kinds. With the coming of the Soviet regime, the street was closed off and the factory was built.

29. Transformer Station

The station is in a two-story, red, stuccoed-brick building which has a tile roof. There are several transformers here which regulate the current received from the power plant in Uzhgorod.

30. MGB Barracks

One three-story building is located on the street, and there are other smaller buildings in a courtyard in the rear. Stationed here are special detachments of the MGB whose job it is to fight partisan units in the woods. These troops are directly subordinate to the oblast MGB with headquarters in Uzhgorod.

31. Opera Theater

This is a large corner building, yellow in color, with a sheet-iron roof. It seats about 2,500 to 3,000 persons.

32. Skala Movie Theater

This is a very large movie theater. The building is brick, painted a grayish-white, and the structure has a cement roof.

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33. Maintenance and Construction Office

The Maintenance and Construction Office is in charge of repairing all municipal buildings and supervises new construction. It is subordinate to the City Directorate (Gorupravleniye). The Maintenance and Construction Office employs about 2,000 workers. This installation consists of two buildings, one of which was known as the Chizhmarnya during the time of Czechoslovakian independence. It was a large market building for all the cobblers of Mukachevo. It is dark-gray, stuccoed building with a tile roof. The administrative office of the Maintenance and Construction Office is located next door to this building.

34. Railroad Workers' Training School

This is a large, yellow-brick, corner building, three stories high, with a tile roof. This was the Gorozhanskaya (sic) Shkola during the time of the Czechoslovakian Republic.

35. Army Club

Under the Czechoslovakian Republic, this building was occupied by Sokol, the Czech sports organization. It is now used by Soviet Army officers. It is a gray brick building with a roof of eternite, an asbestos-cement roofing material.

36. Forest and Lumber Industry (Leskhov 1 Lespromkhov) Administration Buildings

The director of the Leskhov office is Kamniv (fnu).

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This office in Mukachevo supervises all the forests in the Mukachevo Rayon. The administrative offices are located in two, one-story, yellow stone buildings in a courtyard. The buildings are about 30 to 40 meters long and 15 meters wide.

37. City Finance Department (Finotdel)

This is a three-story, gray, stuccoed-brick building. All the offices of the Finance Department are located in this one building.

38. Pasport Office

This is a small, gray, two-story building with four or five rooms. New pasporta are issued here. The office is staffed by a director and a few other employees. Only persons who are arriving in Mukachevo to take up permanent residence are registered at this office; the office does not keep a register of other arrivals and departures. There are apartments on the second floor of this building.

39. MVD Building

This is a large, three-story, corner building of brick construction with a tile roof. The following offices are located here:

- a. City headquarters of the militia (gorodskoye otdeleniye militsii).
- b. Rayon headquarters of the militia (rayonnoye otdeleniye militsii).
- c. Operational section (operativnyy otzel) of the MGB.
- d. Military register (voyennyy uchety), where arrivals and departures are recorded.
- e. Passport section (pasportnoye otdeleniye), where arrivals and departures are recorded.

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40. Prison

In the courtyard adjoining the MVD building [Point 39] there is a small prison for the detention of persons whose records are not yet in order. Also, prisoners are kept here pending their dispatch to the oblast prison in Uzhgorod.

41. Mukachevo Branch of the State Bank

This is a two-story brick building, gray stucco, about 35 to 40 meters long and 20 meters wide, with a tile roof.

42. Savings Bank

This is a three-story, yellow, stuccoed-brick building on Moskovskaya Ulitsa. This bank handles the State Loan and saving deposits. It has about 50 to 60 employees. The upper two floors of this building contain apartments.

43. Post Office, Telephone, and Telegraph Offices

This is a three-or four-story brick building with a tile roof. It is 40 to 50 meters long and 15 to 20 meters wide. The telegraph office is open 24 hours a day.

44. Soviet Army Officers' Club

This is an attractive, three-story, corner building which was formerly occupied by the Ukrainian Academy of Commerce (Torgovaya Akademiya). It is a brick building with a tile roof. It is about 40 meters from the corner to each end of the building and the structure is about 20 meters wide. There is a large gymnasium in the courtyard.

45. MGB Building and the Land Office (Zemupravleniye)

This is a white, stuccoed-brick building with a tile roof. The structure is about 50 meters long and 20 meters wide. The MGB occupies part of the building and the Land Office the other part.

46. Knitting Mill (Trikotazhnaya Fabrika)

This is a three-story, yellowish, brick building with a tile roof. The structure is about 50 to 60 meters long and 30 meters wide. About 300 to 400 employees work here.

47. Meat Combine

This installation was built in 1950-1951. There are several buildings. One rather large building houses the administrative offices. There are several well-equipped workshops, repair shops, and large garages belonging to the combines. All buildings are of brick and have tile roofs.

48. Tobacco Factory

This is a very large brick building, which is not stuccoed. It is 100 to 130 meters long and 80 to 100 meters wide. The building has two stories and a cement roof. It has large storage rooms. The factory is in operation around the clock. It employs 700 to 800 workers. Its main product is Verkhovina cigarettes.

49. Bakery

This rectangular, one-story, brick building with tile roof, was built in 1949-1950. Bread is produced by mechanical processes. The bakery, which operates on two shifts, makes bread for the entire city and its environs.

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50. Furniture Factory

This factory was built during the period from 1949 to 1952. It occupies an area of about 500 meters by 600 meters. One large, three-story building in the center of the grounds houses the administrative offices. In addition to this, there are about 10 to 12 workshops, which are of brick and have a large expanse of glass in the walls; the roofs are made of roofing paper. A diesel power plant produces current for the factory's exclusive use. The factory was scheduled to go into operation in 1952. The plan provided for production of complete sets of high-quality furniture, including furnishings for bedrooms, living rooms, kitchens, work rooms, and nurseries. Output was set at about 100 suites every 24 hours, which would make this factory the largest furniture factory in the Ukrainian SSR and possibly in the entire USSR.

51. Agricultural School (Selkhoz-tekhnikum)

This used to be the Gospodarskaya (sic) Shkola. It is a three-story building of white, stuccoed brick, about 40 by 80 meters in size, with a cement roof. In addition to this building, there are several smaller structures, including a stable for cows, a hen house, hog pen, etc.

52. Water Station

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This is the only water station in Mukachevo. The water is obtained from springs and is stored in underground reservoirs here. The water is also filtered here, [redacted] It is pumped into the large round water tower in the center of the water station; this tower supplies pressure for all the water used in Mukachevo. The electric pumps are located in the small building on the east side of the water tower. The larger building on the west side of the water tower also has machinery in it, [redacted] The stucco building on the south side of the water tank has dwelling space for three or four families. Also, within the area of the water works, which is surrounded by a wire fence, there is an orchard containing about 20 fruit trees.

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53. Swimming Pools

There is a pool for adults and one for children. This is a very attractive place.

54. Football Stadium

This football field is quite attractive and is used every day.

55. Mukachevo Stadium

This is a rather good stadium, which is enclosed by a board fence.

56. Food Store (Gastronom)

This building, which was once occupied by Battya (sic: probably Bata, the Czech shoe firm), is on Ploshchad Stalina, at the corner of Ulitsa Lenina. This is the largest gastronom in Mukachevo.

57. People's Court

The court is in a two-story, white, stuccoed-brick building with a tile or sheet-iron roof. Its dimensions are 50 to 60 meters long and 15 to 20 meters wide. This is a lower court. The chief public prosecutor (glavnyy prokuror) or judge (sudya) is Ivan Teliga.

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58. Ten-Year School

This ten-year school is located in a large, three-story, brick building next to the lower court [Point 57]. The exterior of the building is covered with yellowish-white stucco. The building's dimensions are 60 by 30 by 30 by 15 (sic). The Hungarian Gorozhanskaya (sic) Shkola was formerly located in this building.

59. Bridge-building (Mostostroy) and Maintenance Section of the Lvov Railroad

The mostostroy department of the Lvov branch of the railroad builds and maintains railroad bridges, stations, freight houses, railway workers' homes, etc. This installation consists of a sawmill, machine shop, and office building. The sawmill, which faces on the street, is a wooden building with a tar-papered gabled roof. It is 100 meters by 30 meters in size. The machine shop is on the west side of the sawmill, is 40 by 30 meters in size, and is a two-story brick building. The office building behind the sawmill is a one-story, white, stuccoed-brick building, which was built in 1951. These three buildings are surrounded by a fence which has a gate on the street and another leading out to the housing area in the rear. This settlement consists of two large dormitories (obshchezhitiya) and several new stucco houses along a small street behind the mostostroy. All these housing units are for railroad workers and their families. The dormitories are exactly alike, each being a four- or five-storied, stuccoed-brick building with facilities for about 500 persons. The east dormitory is for men and the west for women. Most plants in Mukachevo have dormitories for their workers, but none are as large or as fancy as these for the railroad workers.

60. Confectionery Factory (Konditerskaya Fabrika)

From the street one sees a three-story, gray, brick building with tile roof. If one enters the court, one sees workshops and warehouses on both sides. On the street side, the main building is 20 to 25 meters long. This factory puts out all kinds of confectionery and chocolate. It employs about 150 to 200 workers and is in operation 24 hours a day.

61. Distillery (Spirtzavod)

The distillery is located on Ulitsa Dukhnovicha. In 1951-1952, the two buildings on Ulitsa Dukhnovicha, both of which house the administrative offices, were enlarged; that is, two stories were added making them four stories high. These buildings are brick and have tile roofs; they are about 40 meters long and 20 meters wide. The distillery itself is located in a large building in the courtyard. In addition, there are three or four large water reservoirs, a large dispensary, big storage areas, and a garage. On the side, there is a large stable; the distillery still uses a few horses. All together, the premises of the distillery cover an area of about 500 by 400 meters. About 200 to 250 persons work here.

62. Brick and Tile Factory No. 1 (Kirpichno-Cherepichnyy Zavod No. 1)

[redacted] by 1953 this factory may have been completely razed; in 1952 over half of it had been demolished. The liquidation was in keeping with plans included in the new 15-Year Plan. According to the provisions for city construction during the first five years of the Plan, 1951 to 1955, a large park is supposed to be laid out in this area. The park will extend to the Latoritsa River beyond the brewery [not shown on plan] and as far as the bridge across the Latoritsa, on the road to Podgorany and Kolchino. The brick and tile factory will be moved farther out of town.

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63. Brick and Tile Factory No. 2

This is one of the largest plants in Mukachevo and has a yearly production plan calling for about 25 million bricks and about 15 million tiles. This factory delivers almost all its products to important priority construction projects (velikiye stroyki kommunizma). It operates on three shifts and employs 600 to 700 workers. Most of the buildings at this factory are temporary structures.

64. Sewing Artel imeni Krupskoy

This is a rather large artel which employs women almost exclusively. It makes all kinds of underwear, shirts, overalls, bed clothes, etc. There is only one shift with about 150 to 200 workers. Kaganovich (fnu) is the president of this artel.

65. Rayvovenkomat

The rayon vovenkomat is located at Ulitsa Lenina, 15, in a three-story, yellow, brick building with tile roof. The building's dimensions are about 40 meters by 15 meters. Major Sabakin (fnu) is in charge of this office.

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66. Grain Procurement Office (Zagotzerno)

This office is located on Beregovskaya (Ukrainian: Berehivska) Ulitsa. The administration building, a two-story, brick structure with a tile roof, fronts directly on the street. Its dimensions are about 30 meters by 15 meters. Set back in a courtyard are large warehouses in which grain and flour are kept.

67. Grain Elevator

This is a very large structure, about eight to ten stories high, about 100 meters long, and 40 meters wide. It is constructed of brick and has a cement roof. Kolkhozy from the entire Mukachevo Rayon turn in their grain at this elevator.

68. Tobacco Workers' Settlement

Most of the workers at the tobacco factory [See Point 48] live in a settlement located here.

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1. The layout on [] plan is based upon an auto touring map entitled "Podkarpatska Rus" published by Fastr Eduard, Louny, 1:500,000. The map is not dated but was published before 1938. In drawing [] represent the actual shape, size, and number of buildings of the particular installation. Very often, however, [] in a single black box on the site of the installation [] described the actual layout in the plan's legend.

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2. According to available information, this last-named office is always referred to as the Gorkomkhoz, which is the office that controls public utilities or municipal services.

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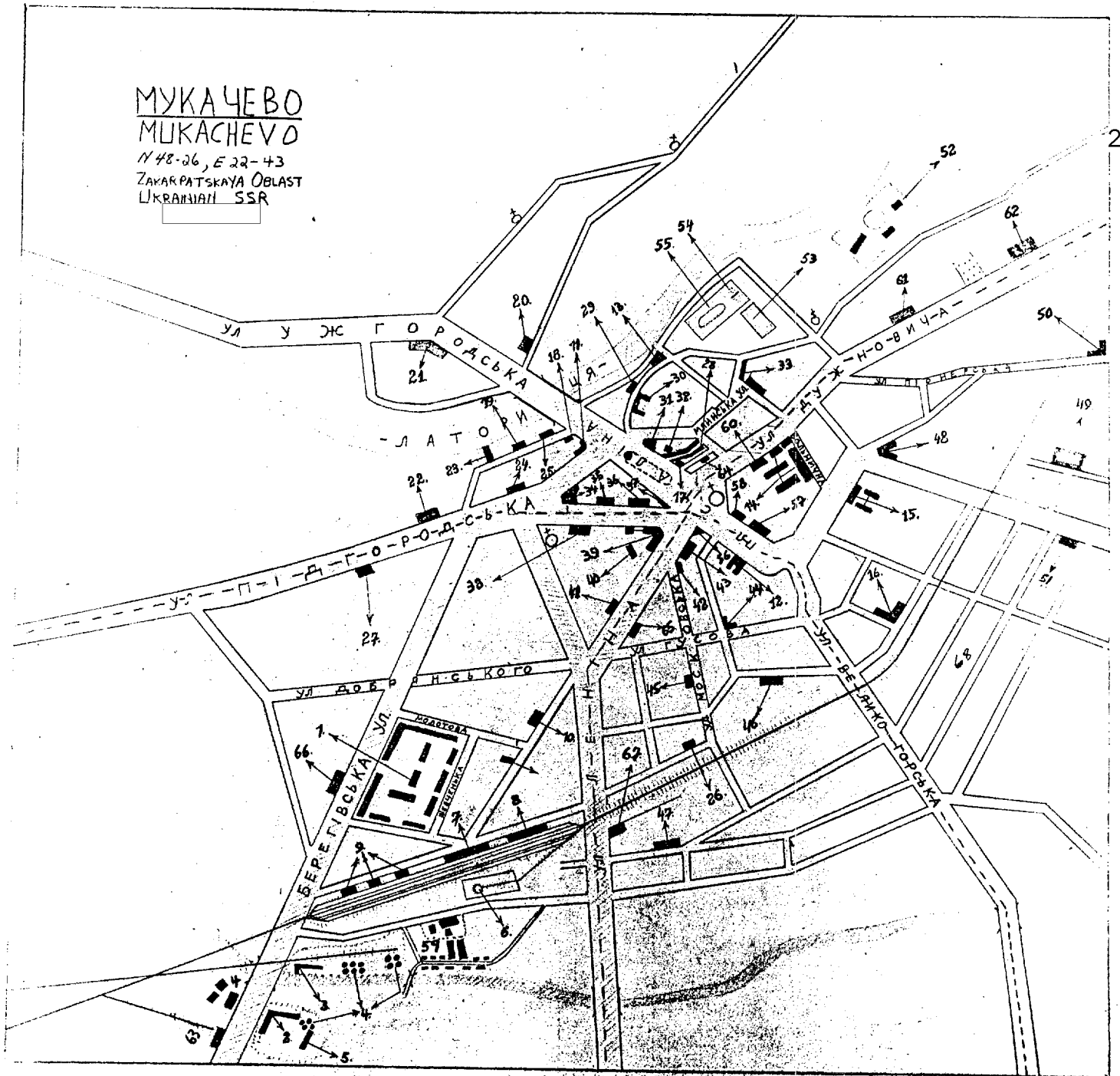
3. Latorichnyy Dvor is not marked on the plan. It is probably the small street which runs between points 17 and 64.
4. One point on the plan between points 1 and 10, is not numbered. There is no clue in the text as to its identity.

Enclosure: City Plan of Mukachevo

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